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If Alberta stock growers hope to gain a premium in the United States market and hold what footing they have gained they had better send down cattle of the highest quality available, Jack Byers, manager of the Western Stock Growers' Association, told the Herald Wednesday.

Mr. Byers returned Tuesday from a visit to Chicago, St. Paul and Winnipeg, where he made a thorough survey of the markets. He also attended the annual convention of Western Canada Livestock Union of Brandon.

The Americans already had too many poor quality cattle of their own, Mr. Byers declared. Cattle of good quality were the only ones that would pay a premium over the Canadian market, he added.

"American finished natives are far above our Canadian finished cattle," he said, "Canadians should remember that when shipping cattle."

The horse market was active, Mr. Byers reported. He believed this was entirely due to the fact that breeding had been neglected for several years past.

"It should be remembered that it takes at least five years to prepare a work horse," said Mr. Byers.

The Old Country cattle market was picking up, he continued, partly due to the fact that Germany was buying cattle in Ireland and in Scotland. At the same time South America chided meat, originally intended for Italy, was being dumped on the English market.

Married on March 18th, 1936 at Grand Forks, B. C. Mildred Amelia Brown to G. R. Sullivan. The only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Brown who lived over 20 years in the Tipperary district, she grew up and finished her schooling in this part of the Province. Possessing a kind and loving disposition and a pure and exalted character, she made friends with all those with whom she came in contact. Her friends wish them a happy married life.

Miss John-ton spent the Easter vacation at the home of her parents at Calgary.

Mrs. F. Otto who has been ill with flu is recovering.

Phyllis Wilton who spent a week visiting with her sister, Josephine at the hotel returned to her home Saturday.

Jean Stewart who has been attending high school here spent the holidays at Naco, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stewart.

The three wheat growing zones of the Argentine are (1) Buenos Aires district which produces Baril, a soft wheat; (2) Rosario district which comprises the area producing Rosaf wheat and (3) Bahia Blanca, or southern district, which produces Barusso, the Argentine hard wheat.

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CollHolme Newslets

News this week is scarce at least your reporter finds that such is the case, however, we can say one thing and be sure about it. The weather for the past week has surpassed all expectations; when we are able to look over the prairie and notice that the snow blanket of the past five months is very conspicuous by its absence.

We take no part in political arguments or make no reflections on any character in the columns that at least is our objective. Nevertheless our attention is drawn very often to conversations on articles which divulge in the activities of our present Provincial Government. Here is an example.

Upon the increase of a tax recently made on oils including kerosene Mr. Luie Kure was fortunate in purchasing a years supply before said tax came into effect. Rejoicing in his good luck, Louie entertained his nearest neighbor, Mr. J. MacKinnon to inspect some of his methods of being a clever home manager. The kerosene purchased was his illustration, Jack however had been doing some of his super thinking, and when he conceived the idea of electrically lighting his living quarters from his wind electric plant he was able to get ahead of the fuel tax, and go one better than Louie. The latter worthy needless to say had a somewhat look on his face, especially so, when he thinks of the wind that howls daily over his farm.

Mr. S. A. Wilton, Rearville district broke a runner on his sleigh on his last journey from town. He did so in attempting to assist the team in dislodging the load from a deep snow bank.

Miss Estella MacKinnon returned to Naco last week end to resume her teaching duties.

Free Booklet

"THE WHEAT POOLS ON THE AIR"

This booklet is a compilation of radio addresses delivered during the season.

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The Queen Mary

Disappointment is probably in store for millions in the British Empire who have conceived the impression that the first trip of the Cunard-White Star's super-liner, the Queen Mary, scheduled for May 27, is a world speed record of the first magnitude with the blue ribbon of the Atlantic for speed as the stakes.

The speed record for the Atlantic was held for the British for 22 years by the Cunard Steamship Company's Mauretania until August, 1929, when the title passed to the Rex, flying the flag of Italy, and has not since been recovered by any vessel carrying the Union Jack.

Millions have been led to believe that the Queen Mary is expected to win back the speed supremacy of the North Atlantic for Great Britain and as a result of the great amount of publicity given to this vessel during the course of her construction and on the occasion of her launching at Clydebank a few weeks ago they confidently anticipate that this consummation is to be achieved by the new boat, but this, according to the London Times, is not the purpose of the construction of this great steamship.

On the contrary, the Times shatters this and other misconceptions of the purpose and mission of the Queen Mary. Not only was she not built to wrest the speed supremacy of the North Atlantic from another country but, we are told, she was not designed to be the most luxurious liner afloat, despite reams of descriptive material which has been published emphasizing the lavish nature of her appointments and equipment.

"The problem," says the Times, "was not to build a ship so big and so fast as to 'stagger creation'. The problem all along was to build the smallest and slowest ship that could form one half of a weekly service."

Continuing the Times says: "Speed is very expensive; and a ship must be big to pay for it. On the other hand size is also expensive; and there is need for nice calculation. The Queen Mary is not meant to be the biggest and fastest ship afloat. She is not meant to be a 'luxury' ship at all. It has been made perfectly clear that the luxury will be there for those who seek it; but one advantage of great size in a ship is that room can be made for all sorts of people, and the Queen Mary is 'not for the rich only'."

However, if the Queen Mary is not designed to be the largest ship afloat or the fastest boat on the seven seas or even the most luxurious, she has claims to distinction which make her an impressive monument to the brains responsible for her creation, exemplified in the words stability, strength and safety and these attributes have been achieved without undue sacrifice of size, speed and liveliness.

On the contrary, the Queen Mary is of noble proportions and embodies the last word in naval architecture, marine engineering and scientific research.

Every conceivable device has been adopted to justify the claim made for the Queen Mary that she is the safest ship afloat and that passengers aboard her will be safer than in their own homes. To quote a recent issue of Pearson's Weekly she is "so well equipped with scientific instruments that it will be literally possible, with a little adjustment, to send her from Southampton to New York without a man aboard," and "she will be able to steam through impenetrable fog at 40 miles per hour, automatically steered and protected from collision with ships and objects."

These devices include a "radio searchlight" with which the Normandie is also fitted, a continuous beam of ultra-short radio waves which sweep the horizon ahead of the bows of the advancing vessel and record obstructions on a sensitive receiver.

Another is the infra-red ray detector to locate other vessels or icebergs at a great distance in dense fog or black night. "The latest detector of this kind," says the writer in Pearson's Weekly, "is so sensitive to changes in heat waves that it can detect a man through a mile of heavy fog by the heat of his body."

The boat is equipped with an automatic helmsman, consisting of a gyro, electrically connected with the steering gear in such fashion that if the vessel defects one half degree from the set course it will automatically be swung back on the true course. An "echo sounder" will guard the vessel against striking a submerged wreck or iceberg growlers, which hardly show above the surface.

The Queen Mary is practically fireproof. Each cabin is safeguarded by a thermostatic alarm which automatically sets water sprinklers in action when the temperature rises above a certain level and the "electric eye" will be used to detect fire in the holds. At the slightest trace of smoke the electric eye will sound the alarm and release a stream of carbon dioxide gas, automatically selecting the burning hold and smothering the blaze.

A unique safety feature is the design of the lifeboats. There are 24 steel, motor driven lifeboats, each large enough to carry 145 passengers and equipped with skids on their hulls which would enable them to be launched in safety even if the Queen Mary were listing at the extraordinary angle of 70 degrees.

AFTER EVERY MEAL

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AIDS DIGESTION

New Uniform Calendar Plan

Provides International Holiday and Five Business Holidays Yearly

With a suggestion that it be put into effect on January 1, 1938, Rev. Father Jacob Wilhelm of Regina has drafted a reform calendar which provides for the days of the week always falling on the same dates of each month.

Under Father Wilhelm's plan the four quarters of the year are equal with 31 days for the first month of each quarter and 30 days each for the other two months except that 31 days are provided for December to give a total of 365 for the year. An extra day is wedged in between June 30 and July 1 every fourth year to be known as "leap day."

The year will start with January 1 labelled as "international holiday" and January 2 is to be a Sunday with December 31 a Saturday. If the calendar were adopted Good Friday would always fall on April 7 and Easter Monday on April 9.

It is suggested that Saturdays falling on January 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1 be made business holidays, giving with international day on January 1, five business holidays each year. The first four, according to Rev. Father Wilhelm, would be known as rest days when "everyone should carry out a review of his debts or profits."

The calendar is designed to offset objections of the Christian churches to the recently announced plan to provide for a year of 13 months containing 28 days each.

Patient Revived

Apparently Dead For Some Minutes Is Resuscitated On Operating Table

Another case of a patient who "died" on the operating table, only to be brought back to life again by heart massage and injections of adrenaline, is described in the current issue of the British Medical Journal.

The patient, Ernest Hinsley, about 45, of Waterloo, Ashton, is now normal again, but has no memory of having been taken to the operating theatre.

His heart, said Dr. J. V. Fiddian, stopped without warning and Hinsley ceased to breathe. Efforts at resuscitation began immediately and the "usual two or three minutes were wasted in fruitless artificial respiration."

Dr. Fiddian then resorted to cardiac massage, and continued this for two minutes without feeling any spontaneous movement of the heart. He then injected intra-cardiac adrenaline into the ventricle.

"The effect," he writes, "was immediate and almost magical. With each squeeze that followed the heart was felt to be enlarging and suddenly it began to beat wildly."

"It was several minutes more before spontaneous respiration was established, but after that there was no further immediate anxiety."

"The patient was returned to bed with his heart still beating tumultuously, in a manner strongly suggestive of an overdose of adrenaline."



What this Doctor did for Humanity

As a young man the late Dr. R. V. Pierce, practiced medicine in Pennsylvania and was known far and near for his great skill in alleviating disease. Finally he moved to Buffalo, N. Y., and put up in retirement form his Golden Medical Discovery, the well known tonic. This strength builder is made from a formula which Dr. Pierce found most effective when in private practice. It's an alternative extract from native roots.

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Floods And Sun Spots

Are Closely Connected Is Opinion Of Planetarium Director

Floods that have swept the eastern part of North America during the past few weeks are "definitely correlated" with sun spots "and we may expect damp, rainy weather for the next four or five years because these spots are fast reaching a maximum intensity," Dr. Clyde Fisher, director of the Hayden planetarium and fellow of the Royal Astronomical Society, said in a lecture at Providence, Rhode Island.

Bottles broken in fighting scenes in motion pictures are made of candy.

The air beacon on top of the George Washington bridge tower in New York is visible for 60 miles.

Argentina is estimated to contain 200,000 square miles of valuable forests.

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And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning

The liver should pour out two pounds of fluid into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food does not digest properly. The result is that the poisons go into the body, and you feel averse, listless and nervous.

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Overcomes Difficulties

Youth Born Deaf And Dumb Learns To Talk And Graduates From University

Born deaf and dumb 23 years ago, Hillis Arnold, University of Minnesota graduate, has accomplished two objectives—speech and completion of a three-year mural painting project.

The youth's mother, Mrs. A. L. Arnold, said she taught Hillis lip reading. She patiently enunciated words slowly. Hillis repeated them by watching how she formed the syllables with her lips. Unable to hear, he was unable to control his tone.

His mother with her hands, indicated when he was speaking too loudly or too softly. To-day he speaks in a clearly understandable moderate tone.

The youth entered the university engineering school in 1931. In his senior year he began an art project, a series of murals depicting the work of various engineering professions. To-day the job—100 feet of murals, five feet high—was completed and he was free to devote his time to another job, as instructor in the Minneapolis Institute of Art.

Building Flying Boats

Imperial Airways To Operate A World-Wide Service

More than 1,000 skilled men are engaged at Rochester, England, in building a fleet of 29 giant flying-boats for operation by Imperial Airways on world-wide services—including the Atlantic.

There are two decks to the new flying boats, lower being for passenger accommodation and the top for crew (two pilots, two stewards, and a purser), mails and baggage.

The gross weight of the new ships will be 77½ tons; they will be powered by four 740-h.p. engines, giving a maximum speed of nearly 200 m.p.h. and a cruising speed of 155 m.p.h. Underneath the pilots' cabin is a comfortable smoking room, and there are two more cabins more than eight feet high with adjustable lounge chairs.

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SELECTED RECIPES

CHERRY ROLL

Temperature: 425 degrees F.
Time: 25 minutes.
½ cup "Crown Brand" Corn Syrup
1 pint jar cherries (canned)
½ cup sugar

1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup boiling water
1 tablespoon butter
Tea biscuit batter

Drain cherries and pour juice in a saucepan. Add the water, sugar and "Crown Brand" Corn Syrup. Boil 5 minutes. While the syrup is boiling make an ordinary tea biscuit batter and roll it out in oblong roll. Spread the cherries over the dough; sprinkle with cinnamon, dot with butter and roll up like jelly roll. Place the roll in an oblong pan; pour the hot syrup over it and bake in a hot oven.

A limburger-cheese-sniffing contest was held in Monroe, Wis., in 1935.

Issuing New Coinage

Canada Could Improve On Design When Making Change

With the coronation of King Edward VIII, Canada, in common with the rest of the Empire, will issue a new coinage. Would not the present, while we still have a year or so, be a good opportunity for the Government to call together a body of artists and experts to submit designs for coins that would be a little more representative of Canadian artistic accomplishment than the exceedingly unattractive ones which, year after year, generation after generation, reign after reign, come from the mint with such deadly monotony?

Tradition declares that upon each accession the effigy of the new Sovereign upon the obverse side of the coin shall be reversed. When we have done that we in Canada are apparently content to allow the funeral wraith of maple leaves on the reverse side—which on a slightly worn coin much more closely resemble those of the cabbage—and the rather sprawling legend within it to continue to "symbolize" Canada. The comparatively new Canadian nickel is one of the ugliest coins in circulation anywhere.

Other countries are paying increasing attention to the attractiveness of their coins from an aesthetic point of view. Some of the newer United States specimens are things of real artistic beauty, indicative of the country's progress in the arts of sculptural design and modelling. There are surely competent artists in the Dominion who would welcome an invitation to compete for designs for coins of different values, and out of such competition there might come a coinage of which, from an artistic point of view, Canada could be legitimately proud. — Montreal Star.

Was Not Photographed

Smallest Book Printed With Ink From Copper Plates

The world's smallest book, which is a quarter of an inch long, three-sixteenths wide, and weighs a grain and a quarter, is for sale in London. The most surprising thing about the text—which is E. F. Thompson's rendering of selected verses of the Rubaiyat—is that it is properly printed from minute copper plates, with ink on paper, and not merely produced by photograph. The pages are stitched by hand and bound in leather. The verses look like small dark stains on the paper, and can be read only with a magnifying glass. When the book was being printed in Worcester, Massachusetts, in 1932 it was found that the vibration of a passing motor-car was enough to blur the type.

Professor (to unruly freshman)—"Tell me sir, what has become of your ether?"
Freshman—"Oh, sir, I traded it in long ago for a Hudson."

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Something New in Pictures

Three Dimensional Animated Cartoons To Be Shown

Three dimensional animated cartoons which can be shown with regular movie projection equipment and without use of any gadget by audiences were announced by Max Fleischer, pioneer in the animated cartoon field.

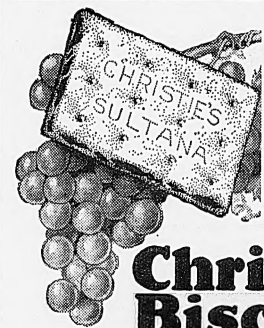
Fleischer declares his invention has passed the experimental stage, and that full length animated cartoons using the three dimension throughout will be released within six months.

Fleischer obtains the three dimensional effect by foreshortening the perspective of the camera to six feet and using a special lens which does not focus directly on the objects photographed.

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FLEMING'S FOLLY

— BY
LAWRENCE A. KEATING

SYNOPSIS

The story opens with Link Fleming addressing a meeting of Boone County cattlemen, called together with the object of forming an irrigation company.

The meeting terminates, but Buzz Hamilton and his sister, Helen, Link and Kilgo stay behind and Helen asks Fleming questions about his irrigation plan. This angers Buzz, who accuses Fleming of trying to influence his sister and, as he asserts, ruin his "spread". Buzz shoots at Fleming in an uncontrollable fit of anger, but Buster Townsend, Link's foreman, is shot in the stomach, and Fleming is uninjured. Buzz is arrested and sentenced to three years' imprisonment.

Helen and Fleming form a partnership to provide irrigation for their own properties.

Fleming goes home and studies the plans drawn by Torney to learn whether they could be adapted to a smaller scheme suitable for his and Helen's land, and is satisfied it could be done. Feeling cold, he lights the fire and there is an explosion that wrecks the house, burns it and the plans and renders Link unconscious. He is rescued from the blaze by an employee.

Helen and Link ride to Rawhide for supplies and to obtain funds to carry out the dam project. They meet Roper, who greets Helen and offers to shop with her. Link goes to see the Sheriff, who tells him Buzz Hamilton has been paroled, and would arrive on the incoming stage. Buzz Hamilton arrives back in Rawhide while Fleming and Helen are in the bank getting a loan for payment of wages for work on the dam. Roper Kilgo and Jackpot Moll meet him and he goes into the saloon with them. By the time his

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throwin' monkey wrenches in the machinery of buildin' yore dam. But who would it be? Otto Pieper, maybe? You owe Otto considerable money, don't yuh, Link? And in case it came to a sheriff's sale the Stockmen's Bank'd come off first bet.

He pursed his lips as again he studied the writing. "This isn't like Pieper's hand. Besides, I hardly think he would hire a man like Valile to try to crack a sluice gate and get my workers to strike. No," he mused, "somebody else is behind Gyp."

"Break a sluice gate, eh?" Bush gave a low whistle. "Well, you'll have to keep your eyes open, Link. Some folks can't get along without pryin' into other folks' business, and I reckon yuh made lots o' enemies, buildin' that dam."

"By the way," he went on, chuckling, "a couple of hours ago I was talkin' to a man in the Trailend Hotel in town, and happened to glance out the window in time to see some different human nature." He winked and nudged his friend. "You and a certain young lady had that sick calf look, standing hand in hand, staring at Irv Lane's jewelry. Ought to buy her a diamond and get married, Link. It's the life!"

The other struck a match for the cigar Bush had tendered him, and expelled a cloud of smoke to smuff the flame. "Marry?" he returned good naturedly. "I've got troubles enough now."

"Yes," Marty stared toward the light streak in the foothills that was the Silver Creek Dam. That's what I'm here to talk about, your troubles. Waitin' to ship steers day after tomorrow?"

Fleming led the way back to the ranch house stoop where both men rested on a home-made bench. "Helen and I are short-handed, but we're rounding up everything with horns and a tail. We're depending on you, Marty, to set it for us."

Bush made no reply for a moment. "I'd like to see you hold your beef another ten days, Link. I've studied the market quite some time now, and it's my judgment you'd get more money. Steers for market ain't so plentiful, but it won't be reflected in price till shipments sag under last year."

"Marty, just between us—and I wouldn't say this to another man in the county—Helen and I have to sell now. We've got to have cash, or else..." He gestured significantly.

"Hm. Heard about her gettin' robbed of the eight hundred." The agent cast a sidelong glance at Link. "Hit you purty hard?"

Fleming nodded. "Look here," Marty proceeded, "I want to see yuh get top price for your beef because you really need it so much. Wouldn't like to sell me a hundred acres o' that wasteland, would yuh, Link?"

The youth laid a hand on his friend's knee. "Do you believe in the dam?"

"General opinion's against it, yuh know. And I backed out once."

"I wouldn't sell you a hundred acres of solid gold, Marty, unless you really had faith in it."

There was a full minute of silence. The cattle agent's chemic counterpane wore a troubled look. Finally he said: "Link, would yuh—uh—like to borrow a couple hundred?"

Fleming was wholly surprised. He happened to know that Marty's diminutive wife, Lenore, had just recovered from a costly illness.

"Thanks," he said with feeling. "I couldn't give security except my steers. I'm keepin' 'em clear because I'll need every cent they'll bring. And more, I reckon."

Bush scratched his bulbous nose. He dug inside his catskin jacket, produced a two-inch-thick packet, and tossed it on his host's lap. "Ho hum!" he yawned, rising to stretch wearily. "There's five hundred in small bills. Thought that'd suit yuh best. I got to ride over to Pidge Somers' place an' talk beef with him. So lo—"

"Marty! Well," Link confessed, exceedingly pleased as he fingered the money, "I guess you're crazy. But—oh, shucker!" he exclaimed. "I'm shore obliged!"

"No!"—mockingly. "Link, get me Triple-H an' Star Loop beef to Holmes Junction early Thursday mornin', and I'll fix you up. Want cash then too, eh? So long, Fleming's Folly! See yuh in bankruptcy court."

While he made off on his horse Link stared at the wad of bills in his hand. Grinning, he went at length to the corral where he transferred his saddle to a skittish Mustang. Half an hour later he left his mount in a patch of cottonwoods that bordered the heretofore useless valley, and started on foot the remainder of the way to the irrigation dam. It was a rocky, rather steep climb even by the well-worn trail over which every pound of material had to be transported. Link walked

Mr. CAFFEINE-NERVES... he does a fade-out!



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along feeling the bulge of the money in his pocket, his step considerably lighter than it had been an hour ago.

On a rocky eminence which overlooked the dam and the broad acres to be irrigated, he saw three figures in conference. Jackpot Moll, the gunman, Roper Kilgo, and—yes, it was Gyp Valile.

Link paused. His fingers encountered that anonymous note he had found. On quick impulse he untied his blue neckerchief. He tied it around his right hand as if it were injured, then strode casually forward.

"Here comes the guy that talks men into workin' for nothin'!" Kilgo greeted caustically.

Jackpot smiled his dry, reserved smile. Valile darted beady eyes for a means of escape but Fleming blocked the only exit. He came on a tolerant look on his tanned face. "Wouldn't put it that way, Roper. The boys know it takes money, and

that Helen and I are a little hard pressed right now."

"Yuh'll be harder pressed, an' then pressed at all!" scoffed the thickest rancher.

He meant that bankruptcy would end the project. Link halted sideways to Moll. "Say, Jackpot, will you reach that package out of my pocket? Got my hand between a mare and a corral bar. Jest get that wad of money, will yuh?"

All three stared from Link's hand to his trousers pocket. They exchanged frowns of surprise. "Money?"

"Payroll money, five hundred bucks of it. Oh, by the way," Fleming added carelessly as he accepted the wad from Jackpot. "I wish you'd do me a favor, Roper. Write me a note to Marty Bush. Since I can't do it myself with this bad paw."

Kilgo tilted back his sombrero and summoned a friendly look that was not deceiving. "Well—shore, I'll write yore note." He produced a stub of pencil and Link gave him a page out of a pocket notebook. Leaning to use a boulder for a desk, the man looked up inquiringly.

"Write this," Fleming requested. "Dear Marty: I'm bankin' on you to sell those steers Thursday and get me cash instead of a bill of lading as Miss Hamilton and I have to raise money quick for the dam. I'll meet you at Holmes Junction Thursday mornin' for it. Just sign my name," he ended. "Much obliged."

He turned to go back to the main trail but could not resist one parting shot. "Glad you let me win that ground three years ago, Roper. Yes, sir," he chuckled, "take a good look at the dam and wasteland—you can tell it's going to jump from fifty cents to two hundred an acre!" (To Be Continued)

A Suitable Reward

"A three-hapenny stamp, please," said the old lady to the assistant in the post office. "And, by the way, haven't I seen you somewhere before?" "Yes," said the assistant. "I was the man who rescued you when you fell into the river last summer at Richmond."

"Well, well," exclaimed the old lady, "in that case, I'll have twelve three-hapenny stamps, six pence ones, and a postal order for five shillings."

Gold output of the Transvaal in Africa last year was 10,776,700 ounces.

Clives are the dried flower buds of the clove tree. 2147

Reduce Relief Lists

Tourist Trade Expected To Grow
More Employment To Women

A statement issued by the Dominion tourist bureau that the coming season is expected to be one of the most successful since the boom years prior to 1929, foretells a great reduction in the number of Canadian women on relief lists.

Out of more than 80,000 employable women on relief, according to statistics presented by Labor Minister Rogers in the House of Commons during a speech on the proposed national employment commission, nearly half come under the heading of domestic, hotel, restaurant and similar occupations. The tourist bureau believes many women under these headings will be re-employed when the tourist season gets underway.

A savage is a person who has no debts, deficits or poison gas.

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Many people "round 40 think they're 'growing old.' They feel tired a lot. "Weak," "Have headaches, dizzy spells, stomach upsets."

Well, scientists say the cause of all this is a more exact cause, is simply a real condition of the stomach. Nothing more.

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3 Northern	55 1/2

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CANADIAN NATIONAL

BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD

A very pleasant birthday party was held on Friday afternoon when Rex the 6 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Turple celebrated his birthday by inviting twelve of his little boy friends to his party. All spent a jolly time. The dainty lunch was much enjoyed.

Miss Madeline Otto, our popular Phone Operator, who has been ill with flu for the past ten days returned to resume her duties Wednesday.

Miss Jensen spent the Easter holidays at her home at Stettler.

Miss Kain after attending the Teachers' Convention at Calgary, left for her home at Leduc.

Don't forget the Institute Party on May 1st, at the Chinook School. Cards, Dominoes, lunch and dance 25 cents. Excel Orchestra.

Miss Iren Shire who spent her Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shier returned to resume her studies.

Mr. Arthur Davis who has been visiting with his father for some months returned on Tuesday to his home at Nanton.

Miss Ruth Robison who is attending high school here spent the Easter vacation at the home of her father, Mr. G. Ray Robison.

National Floral Emblems

Mother Canada and four of her provinces—Nova Scotia, Manitoba, Alberta and Ontario—have adopted native floral emblems. Canada's emblem the Maple Leaf, like the Trillium emblem of Nova Scotia was highly favored more than a century ago. The former, like the Rose of England, the Thistle of Scotland, the Shamrock of Ireland and many of the older floral emblems became established without official enactment or public proclamation. The Trillium emblem of Mayflower of Nova Scotia, the Anemone emblem of Manitoba and the Wild Rose of Alberta have been made official by provincial legislation and a bill already prepared to give official standing to the Trillium for Ontario is expected to be enacted by the Ontario legislature during the present session.

National flowers have in certain countries a peculiar significance or are symbolic of the characteristics or feelings of the nations. In many cases as in the Canadian provinces and in the United States, the chosen flower has been adopted by legislation. In other cases as in several European countries, in Egypt, India and Japan, it has by its association with poetry, religious ceremonies or popular sentiment of the people, gradually become universally recognized as the nation's symbol. In connection with each of these there is an interesting story.

The Canadian emblem more than a century ago was regarded as highly symbolic of the Canadian people. This was indicated at the banquet of the Saint-Jean Baptiste Society held in Montreal on June 24, 1836. The banquet hall was profusely decorated with branches and leaves of the Sugar Maple and the main speaker, Denis Benjamin Vigor spoke eloquently of the virtues of the Maple tree which was highly praised for its sturdiness in the forest, the substantial character of its wood for fuel and lumber and its great service to the pioneer in its annual harvest of syrup and sugar. The sentiments expressed by the speaker were undoubtedly popular in those early days of Canadian life.

The trailing Arbutus, made the official emblem for Nova Scotia in 1901 was highly regarded as early as 1802 when the flower was represented in a decoration that appeared on the front page of "The Nova Scotian". Thirty years later it was associated with the rose, the thistle and the shamrock on postage stamps. This flower is also the State Flower of Massachusetts where it is better known as the Mayflower. There its name was associated with the Pilgrim Fathers who, at the end of their first winter of great privation, on seeing the first flowers of the spring appearing from soil called the plant the Mayflower after the historic ship that brought them to Plymouth Rock.

The Manitoba emblem the Anemone patens, chosen by the provincial Horticultural Society was made official in 1902. Also known as the Windflower and Pasque flower it is the State Flower of South Dakota.

Alberta's emblem, the Wild Rose, is also the State flower of North Dakota, Iowa, New York and Georgia. Following a suggestion by the editor of an Edmonton newspaper that the province of Alberta should have a floral emblem, the Women's Institute took the matter up, and passed it on to the Department of Education. The choice of the native rose was made by the school children of the province.

Ontario's choice the Trillium grandiflorum also called the Wake-Robin was accepted by the Ontario Horticultural Association in 1835 after it had been recommended by a committee of botanists who canvassed the views of the Horticultural Societies in the province as well as the High Schools and Collegiate Institutes. The Trillium thriving as it does in woods over most of the province, responds well to cultivation in the garden but must not be used as a cut flower because the bloom cannot be picked without taking with it the foliage which is needed to develop the bulbous root for the following season's bloom. For this same reason the Trillium should not be thoughtlessly gathered in the woods. The Fleur-de-lis, or Iris, the French emblem dates back to the thirteenth century when Edward I chose it in honour of his mother who was known as the Rose of Provence. Two centuries later Henry VII chose for his badge the Tudor rose which is described as a double red bloom with a white centre. The Thistle of Scotland served a useful purpose in the early days when a night attack was being made by a Danish army. Barefooted Dane stepping on a thistle cried out giving alarm to the defending soldiers who quickly drove them off. The Leaf of Walter was also chosen for its service in war. When Cadwallan, the Welsh leader, was about to meet Edwin, King of Northumbria, he ordered his men to wear a leaf in their helmets to enable him to distinguish them from enemy soldiers. The result was victory for the Welsh and the choice of the leaf as the nation's emblem. Ireland chose the Shamrock when it helped St. Patrick to make clear to the worshippers the mystery of the Trinity.

The Fleur-de-lis, or Iris, the French emblem, is said to have been used in coronation ceremonies. When a king was crowned he was carried among his people carrying an Iris to represent a sceptre.

Interesting stories can be told about the Lotus of Egypt and India, the Chrysanthemum of Japan, the Cornflower of Germany, the Linden of Prussia, the Amarant of Sweden and the 40 odd State flowers of the American Union.

AGRICULTURE IN JAPAN

The total number of agricultural households in Japan is estimated at 1,100,000 aggregating a rural population of about 30 million. As can be imagined, the crowding of this rural area is terrific and Japan's farm lands are the most densely populated in the world, figuring out to about half an acre per person. As a consequence, Japanese farmers follow most intensive systems of agriculture—literally spade farming. The rapid progress of industrialization of Japan has absorbed many people from the rural districts but not in sufficient numbers to relieve the pressure against the land. This factor forms one of the basic causes of Japan's agricultural troubles.

The United States Department of Agriculture points out:

Land prices in Japan are very high. In 1934 the price of an acre of land was as high as \$483. Following is the price for land per acre during the years mentioned:

1929	\$1,230
1931	405
1933	820

Even the low 1933 price is twice as high as in densely populated European countries.

The average rent for the medium quality one-acre field is often 55 to 60% of the crop. In two-acre fields the rent is from 60 to 65%. A rental amounting to more than half of the crop is particularly significant, for the Japanese farmer does not simply offer his labor to the landlord for the cultivation of the land and receive a share of the crop, but owns his cattle and implements and buys his own seed and fertilizer.

The United States Department of Agriculture points out that one of the weaknesses of Japanese agriculture, in addition to concentrated holdings and high rents, lies in the fact that farmers continue their efforts to one crop, that is, the production of rice. The growing of mulberry trees for silk production is the main secondary agricultural activity but the replanting of real silk by artificial silk has caused a sharp drop in the price of mulberry and a drop in prices from \$5 to \$17.50 a unit. This has been ruinous to Japanese agriculture and probably responsible to a large degree for the recent internal strife in that country.

Japanese farmers are burdened by terrific debts and taxes. The total farm debt is estimated at around \$3 billion, the average rate of interest being 10% per year. Seventy per cent of the farm in central Japan are in debt. The average indebtedness per farm is about \$300, Canadian money. According to a recent investigation the total debt of 92,500 farms in the province of Akita amounted to nearly \$30 million. The fall in the price of agricultural commodities rendered it impossible for the farmer even to pay interest on their debts, while the fall in the value of farm lands would have bankrupted the country banks had they foreclosed on the farms immediately as loans fell due.

The taxation system bears more heavily on the land than on the new country's commodities. The tax on the per capita income of the farmer, the owners are roughly double those of business proprietors. When in the last decades of the nineteenth century Japan embarked on a policy of industrialization, the country was then largely agricultural. So that an agriculture had to bear the cost of taxation to pay for the industrialization.

The agricultural sector had to bear this burden because at that time the prices of food products were at a high level. Since the post-war decline of the country's agricultural economy, Japanese agriculture is hardly in a position to support any longer the country's industrial program. Yet it seems that long established practices of favoring industry against agriculture still continue.

The above material is obtained largely from a survey of the situation by the U.S.D.A. In the light of the results in Japan these facts are quite interesting.

The Japanese army is recruited largely from the agricultural areas. The soldiers whose knowledge of the terrible position of their parents and relatives has developed animosity against the great industrial rulers when they regard as greedy and linked with the politicians in devious deeds and consequently traitors to the Empire.

THE 1936 SEED CATALOGUES

The approach of spring and the arrival of the new seed catalogues are closely associated events. As improvement in a pleasant anticipation of fulfillment of plans and opportunity for creative effort. Many of our home gardeners will be embarking with enthusiasm on a new enterprise. Some will be motivated by the aesthetic, and others by the utility-value of their efforts, but all contemplate a "day measure of pleasure from the time and energy they will devote to their gardens."

The new catalogues as regards the quality are generally superior to those issued for other years. As improvement is first noted in the covers and cover designs. Many of these include the most popular and newest varieties of flowers and vegetables in their natural colors. This is highly commendable, since it not only gives the reader an immediate interest in the contents of the catalogue,

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J. M. Davis
Collingwood

Dr. E. J. Anderson is at the school today conducting a few examinations of the children's eyes. This service is sponsored by the Chinook Women's Institute. This examination does not put children under any obligation, but those requiring glasses will be given special rates and six months free service.

Gov't Hires Shoults

Albert Shoults, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Shoults, of Sunnyside, has been given a position as accountant in one of the departments of the S. C. government at Edmonton. A salary of \$200.00 per month is attached to the appointment. It is said, Mr. Shoults is well known here; has recently held the post of principal of the Coronation Schools, previous to which he held a similar position in Youngstown school.

TO PRESERVE OUR CIVILIZATION

Whether the present high standard of living of our urban communities can be successfully maintained is, however, a grave question. At any rate, we may within the next distant future anticipate a farm price level that will, other things remaining equal, permit of a standard of living in the country side, which, taking all factors into consideration, compare favourably with that of the town. This is long overdue. Indeed, such a condition is, and always was, essential to the very preservation of our civilization. That is the emphatic lesson of history. Far seeing countries like France have always recognized this self-evident economic truth. Others must apparently learn through bitter experience. The dreadful stress agriculture has endured for many years was, we may hope, merely a prelude to a happier era. The "day" of the farm is dawning—Chas. W. Peterson in Farm and Ranch Review.

FROM "WOMEN OF THE WEST"

On the frontiers of the Nation, live the Women of the West. The red sun robs their beauty, and in weariness and pain. When the white stars in reverence light the holy altar fires; And silence, like the voice of God, sinks deep into the breast—Perchance He hears and answers the Women of the West.

For them no trumpet sounds the call, no post piles his arms—When the white stars in reverence light the holy altar fires. But they have sung with silent lives the song all songs above—The holiness of sacrifice, the dignity of love.

E. G. EVANS

After having had a few days of warm spring like weather, on Wednesday during the first part of the day there was a light rain followed by snow.

WHAT'S DOING IN WHEAT

On March 13 visible wheat supplies in Canada totalled 214,300,000 bushels, down some 23 million from last year. Total exports were 114 million. While sales and exportations have gone on proceeding steadily no wide demand has developed which is displacing in the face of certain crop damage over large areas of Europe, now supplies in importing countries, uncertain prospects in the U.S. winter wheat belt and threats of war, the lethargic state of the wheat market is hard to comprehend.

The reason is, of course, that Europe and the Orient are no longer buying wheat on a large scale and nothing seems to be able to change this situation. Importers have been used to a "tuffed" wheat market, for so many years that they are naturally taking it for granted condition will continue. It would seem that only an actual shortage of wheat can make a decided change in this attitude.

Canada's supplies are down some 23 million bushels as compared with last year and exports up some 30 million bushels. This does not seem large in view of the fact that Argentina is actually out of the market this year with the "emerald crop" in many years, that North America sustained a crop disaster of major proportions, that Australia only a moderate crop and that Russia changed her policy of forced exportations to one of feeding her people first.

The Canadian Wheat Board has been selling foreign and Broomhall has given its holdings are now down to 150 million bushels. Hon. W. D. Elder, Minister of Trade and Commerce, would make a moderate crop and that the House, holding it as against the national interest.

The news from the United States is a variety of mixed and uncertain. The surplus producing areas are jeopardized but the rest of the winter wheat belt seems to have fairly good prospects. Moisture conditions in the next month will tell the tale of the winter wheat crop for 1936.

Canada is approaching spring and seed time with early crop prospects good. Of course this merely indicates abundant moisture for germination. Canada's spring wheat crop is made or unmade by June rains.

REWARD WHEAT DEVELOPMENTS

"Reward 22-42" has been chosen as the best of eight selections of that variety of wheat subject to comprehensive tests during the past four years and it has been decided to accept this strain as the basis for future registered seed stocks for the variety.

In a recent bulletin, J. G. Graesser of the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa says that two special blocks of Reward 22-42 passed field inspection or registration as elite stock seed during the past summer. The Canadian Seed Growers' Association has decided to accept these stocks as elite on the condition that the resulting crops in 1936 meet established requirements. That a variety Reward has proven fairly satisfactory in many sections throughout the prairie provinces, although disappointing in others. Mr. Graesser says "Confidence over the variety is based on its returns in bushels per acre have not always been what one would like. Since the naming of Reward Wheat some 14 years ago its originators have made studies of some hundreds of selections with the hope of finding one which would produce more satisfactory results than the original variety. Confusion over the variety caused the loss of the Spanish steamship City of Malaga in a collision with the British tanker Cape of Good Hope.